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PART V

SEASON REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING WITH THE EIGHTEENTH SATURDAY IN 1948.

(1ST MAY 1948).

Rainfall up to 8 a.m. on Saturday the 1st May 1948

District and Station	This week	Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week 23·87	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1948: This year	Average of past 35 years	Excess (+) or deficit (−) of col. 4 compared with col. 5 +14·88
1	2	3	4	5	6
	In. c.	In. c.	In. c.	In. c.	In. c.
BANGALORE.					
Bangalore City and Taluk	0 25	0 55	1 47	02 69	−1 22
Hoskote ...	...	0 59	0 55	02 41	−1 86
Dodballapur ...	...	0 63	...	02 56	−2 56
Nelamangala ...	0 53	0 46	2 56	02 18	+0 38
Kankanhalli ...	2 07	0 50	4 64	02 41	+2 23
Magadi ...	0 47	0 51	1 32	02 38	−1 06
Channapatna ...	0 90	0 68	3 26	02 57	+0 69
Anekal ...	...	0 66	0 85	02 88	−2 03
Devanhalli ...	1 59	0 57	3 04	02 57	−0 37
Closepet ...	2 08	0 55	4 68	02 38	+2 30
District Average ...	0 79	0 56	2 24	02 51	−0 27
KOLAR.					
Kolar ...	0 32	0 31	2 18	02 82	+0 14
Bowringpet ...	0 15	0 35	1 40	02 49	+1 09
Chintamani ...	...	0 37	0 32	02 25	+1 93
Mulbagal ...	1 55	0 40	2 13	02 49	+0 36
Sidlaghatta ...	0 36	0 50	1 13	02 24	+1 11
Chikballapur ...	1 27	0 54	2 12	02 53	+0 51
Bagepalli ...	0 52	0 42	0 52	01 86	+1 34
Goribidnur ...	...	0 45	...	01 67	+1 67
Malur ...	0 80	0 52	1 93	02 60	+0 67
Srinivaspur ...	...	0 38	0 43	02 40	+1 97
Gudibanda ...	0 46	0 48	0 52	02 03	+1 51
District Average ...	0 49	0 43	1 14	02 26	+1 12
TUMKUR.					
Tumkur ...	0 37	0 48	1 04	01 94	−0 90
Madhugiri ...	1 60	0 35	2 35	01 75	+0 60
Chiknaikanhalli ...	2 61	0 46	3 66	02 18	+1 48
Sira ...	1 38	0 28	2 08	01 51	+0 57
Gubbi ...	0 73	0 33	3 10	01 76	+1 34
Tiptur ...	1 69	0 59	2 25	02 25	...
Pavagada ...	0 96	0 32	2 04	01 34	+0 70
Kunigal ...	1 17	0 40	3 33	01 84	+1 45
Kortagere ...	0 80	0 40	1 28	01 76	−0 48
Turuvekere ...	1 95	0 38	2 15	01 78	+0 37
District Average ...	1 32	0 40	2 32	01 81	+0 51
MYSORE.					
Mysore ...	2 05	0 68	2 77	03 35	−0 58
Chamarajnagar ...	1 33	0 65	3 62	03 17	+0 45
Hunsur ...	1 77	0 90	2 78	03 24	−0 46
Krishnarajnagar ...	3 54	0 51	5 09	02 41	2 65
Heggaddevankote ...	4 33	0 97	6 40	03 99	2 41
Gundlupet ...	2 30	0 79	3 79	03 64	0 45
Nanjangud ...	4 66	0 85	6 58	03 65	2 72
T.-Narsipur ...	2 11	0 76	3 30	03 14	0 16
Periyapatna ...	2 96	0 64	4 74	03 06	1 68
District Average ...	2 88	0 75	4 32	03 29	+1 03

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1	2	3	4	5	6
	In. c.	In. c.	In. c.	In. c.	In. c.
MANDYA.					
Mandya ...	1 86	0 46	3 52	02 45	+1 07
Seringapatam ...	0 63	0 58	0 63	02 63	−2 00
Malvalli ...	4 08	0 59	5 02	02 48	−2 64
Krishnarajpet ...	3 08	0 56	6 01	02 61	+3 40
Nagamangala ...	2 25	0 62	5 09	02 71	+2 38
Maddur ...	1 00	0 61	2 07	02 47	−0 40
French-Rocks ...	5 24	0 51	6 44	02 35	+4 09
District Average ...	2 59	0 56	4 11	02 53	+1 58
HASSAN.					
Hassan ...	2 32	0 66	5 55	02 94	+2 61
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	0 58	0 67	2 89	03 04	−0 15
Arkalgud ...	1 72	0 72	3 89	03 08	+0 81
Belur ...	3 18	0 73	6 75	03 12	+3 63
Channarayapatna ...	2 80	0 79	4 56	02 36	−1 80
Arsikere ...	3 32	0 63	5 47	02 72	+2 75
Hole Narsipur ...	...	...	...	...	...
Alur ...	3 53	0 93	5 94	03 40	+2 54
District average ...	2 22	0 70	4 45	02 91	+1 54
SHIMOGA.					
Shimoga ...	0 60	0 48	1 42	03 09	−0 67
Channagiri ...	1 72	0 60	4 45	01 61	+2 84
Honnali ...	0 74	0 40	1 19	02 11	−1 92
Shikarpur ...	5 82	0 42	9 25	01 92	+7 33
Sorab ...	1 75	0 51	3 47	02 00	+1 47
Sagar ...	2 16	0 54	7 41	02 36	−5 09
Nagar (Kallurkatte) ...	2 60	0 44	5 03	02 05	+2 98
Tirthahalli ...	1 29	0 43	2 73	02 24	+0 49
Bhadravathi ...	1 64	...	1 82	...	...
District Average ...	2 04	0 48	4 09	02 05	+2 04
CHIKMAGALUR.					
Chikmagalur ...	1 04	0 78	4 70	03 20	+1 50
Kadur ...	1 40	0 42	2 71	01 84	+0 87
Tarikere ...	1 94	0 59	5 98	02 17	+0 81
Koppa ...	...	...	...	...	...
Mudgere ...	0 86	0 74	5 84	03 90	+1 94
Narasimharajpura ...	1 13	0 68	3 57	06 40	−2 83
Sringeri ...	0 73	0 74	3 67	02 45	+1 22
District Average ...	1 10	0 55	3 78	02 85	+0 93
CHITALDRUG.					
Chitaldrug ...	2 37	0 40	2 96	01 60	+1 36
Challakere ...	0 40	0 37	1 21	01 58	+0 19
Hiriyur ...	...	0 39	2 14	01 67	+0 47
Holalkere ...	0 39	0 41	2 23	01 92	+0 31
Davangere ...	1 70	0 84	1 86	01 68	−0 24
Molakalmuru ...	0 60	0 32	1 28	01 40	−0 12
Jagalur ...	1 85	0 25	1 85	01 63	+0 22
Hosdurga ...	0 32	0 38	0 32	01 57	−1 25
Harihar ...	2 35	0 45	2 89	01 65	+1 24
District Average ...	1 11	1 37	1 80	01 62	+0 20
Provincial Average ...	1 60	0 53	3 13	02 42	+0 71

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PRICES OF FOOD-GRAINS IN SEERS PER RUPEE AND MARKET FLUCTUATIONS IN PRICES OF FOOD-GRAINS FOR THE 18TH WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 1ST MAY 1948.

	Kind of grains	This week	Past week	Past ten year fortnightly average
		Srs	Srs	Srs.
Bangalore	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	6·0
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	12·0
	Kulthi ...	2·4	2·4	12·0
	Kadale ...	2·4	2·4	6·0
Kolar	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·0	3·4	6·0
	Ragi ...	5·0	5·0	10·0
	Kulthi ...	3·0	3·0	6·0
	Kadale ...	2·0	2·4	4·0
Tumkur	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·5	3·5	6·0
	Ragi ...	5·0	5·0	12·0
	Kulthi ...	3·0	3·0	8·0
	Kadale ...	2·0	2·0	4·0
Mysore	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·0	3·0	5·0
	Ragi ...	5·0	6·0	10·0
	Kulthi ...	3·6	3·0	9·0
	Kadale ...	2·8	2·8	10·0
Mandya	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	4·8
	Ragi ...	5·0	5·0	8·0
	Kulthi ...	3·0	3·0	7·0
	Kadale ...	1·12	1·12	3·0
Hassan	Rice, 2nd sort ...	2·4	2·4	5·0
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	10·0
	Kulthi ...	3·0	3·0	8
	Kadale ...	2·4	2·4	4·0
Shimoga.	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	7·35
	Ragi ...	4·0	4·0	15·72
	Kulthi ...	2·12	2·12	10·23
	Kadale ...	1·4	1·8	...
Chikmagalur.	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·12	3·12	...
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	...
	Kulthi ...	3·0	3·0	...
	Kadale ...	1·12	1·12	...
Chitaldrug.	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	6·0
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	16·0
	Cholum ...	6·0	6·0	15·0
	Kodel ...	2·4	2·4	7·0
	Kulthi ...	2·12	2·12	14·0

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable out-turn of the harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity. Number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks on the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE

8. Well supplied.

9. (1) *Standing Crops.*—Paddy and sugarcane are in good condition.

(2) *Crops harvested.*—Sugarcane is being milled in Kankanhalli, Magadi, Anekal and Dodballapur Taluks.

(3) *Crops sown.*—Nil.

10. Good. Coolies find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy and water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Moderately supplied.

9. Dry fields are being ploughed.

Seeds sown.—Gidda ragi under Irrigation wells in Kolar and Sidlaghatta Taluks.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane and Vaisakhi paddy in Srinivaspur and Gudibanda Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Good in general.

Public Health.—Public health is generally good. Cooly classes find labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for "Blackquarter" in Sonaganahalli Village in Sidlaghatta Taluk. Preventive measures are being taken to check the further spread of the disease.

Fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Jola, greengram and blackgram in Tiptur Taluk and paddy in Kunigal Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Paddy and sugarcane in Tumkur and Kunigal Taluks and Paddy in other taluks of the District.

Crops harvested.—Paddy is being harvested in Tumkur, Chiknaikanahalli and Pavagada Taluks.

10. Fair in general.

Black-quarter is reported to be prevailing in a village of Gubbi Taluk and Anthrax in Chiknaikanahalli Taluk. Veterinary Inspectors have been called to the affected parts and necessary precautionary measures are being taken to check the spread of the disease. In other parts of the District, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available. Labour class find sufficient labour.

11. *Public Health and Agricultural Stock.*—Public health is generally good, except for the prevalence of small-pox in Chiknaikanahalli and Tiptur Taluks. Preventive measures are being adopted in the affected areas to check the spread of the disease.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

Seeds sown.—It is reported that jola, thogari are being sown in the Taluks of Mysore, Chamarajnagar, Krishnarajnagar, Gundlupet, Nanjangud and T.-Narasipur.

Ragi is being sown in some parts of Gundlupet and Nanjangud Taluks.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, and jola in Krishnarajsagar Tank bed area in Krishnarajnagar Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. (1) Nil.
(2) Nil.
(3) Nil.
(4) None under relief.
(5) Sufficient quantities of foodgrains are available throughout the district.

11. Cattle are reported to be in good condition. Fodder and water are available in all the parts of the district.

MANDYA.

8. Fairly well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Jola is being sown in all the taluks.

State of Standing Crops.—Sugarcane in the Irwin Canal area is reported to be in good condition.

10. Rainfall is reported to be well and generally well distributed.

11. Public health was reported to be good and cattle generally healthy.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied. Rice is being distributed from the Government, Co-operative and Village Panchayet Depots. It is also being sold in shandies and local shops.

9. Ploughing operations are going on in Arkalgud, Chennarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks.

Crops sown.—Giddaragi in Hassan, Holenarsipur and Alur Taluks; paddy in Manjarabad and Alur Taluks; Jolam and Til in Holenarsipur Taluk are being sown and kar-paddy is being transplanted in parts of Chennarayapatna Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane is reported to be in good condition in Belur, Chennarayapatna and Alur Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Sugarcane is being milled in some parts of Hassan Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

11. Water and fodder are available for cattle.

Water difficulty is felt in parts of Javagal and Kanakatte Hoblis in Arsikere Taluk.

Cattle are reported to be healthy.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Seed sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

Fields are being ploughed in all Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair in all the Taluks. Labour classes find sufficient labour. Foodgrains are available throughout the District.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy all over the District. Fodder and water are available in all the Taluks.

CHIKMAGALUR.

8. Markets are moderately supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane is the only standing crop in Chikmagalur, and Kadur Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Sugarcane in Chikmagalur and Kadur Taluks is being harvested, and crushed for the manufacture of jaggery.

Ploughing operations have commenced in all the Taluks.

Public Health.—Public health is generally good except for the prevalence of plague in Sringeri Jahagir. Preventive measures have been taken to arrest the spread of the disease.

Labour is procurable and the condition of the labour Classes is reported to be satisfactory.

10. Seasonal conditions are also reported to be generally good.

11. Cattle are also reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Foot and Mouth" disease in some parts of Narasimharajapura Sub-taluk. The Veterinary Department has been addressed to take necessary precautions to check the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder are reported to be available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Sowing.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Paddy in Chellakere and Hosdurga Taluks; sugarcane in Davangere Taluk; groundnut, paddy and cotton in Hiriyur Taluk; are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in Chellakere Taluk; cotton and sugarcane in Hiriyur Taluk sugarcane in Davangere Taluk; cotton in Chitaldrug taluk are reported to be in progress.

10. Relief works started in previous year are in progress. Cooly classes are finding sufficient labour throughout the District.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the District except in some villages where blackquarter diseases in Chellakere Taluk are prevailing.